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## (54) MONITORING DEVICE

### (57)Abstract:

**PURPOSE:** To easily perform high-level monitoring operation and also carry on the monitoring operation without taking eyes off a monitor as to the monitor device for monitoring a remote monitor position by utilizing a monitor camera.

**CONSTITUTION:** Local controller L<sub>Cm</sub> perform decentralized control over image information from monitor cameras C<sub>1n</sub>-C<sub>4n</sub> which are installed on respective floors. The image information of the monitor cameras C<sub>1n</sub>-C<sub>4n</sub> sent from the local controllers L<sub>Cm</sub> to a main controller MC is inputted to a PC through a capture board MC2 and can be composed into a computer screen image. Then the image information is displayed on the monitor MC15 together with various commands required for monitoring operation by other inputted to the PC by selecting and indicating a desired command displayed selected and indicated by using on the monitor MC15 by using a mouse MC17.

